RECEIVED

James S. Lochhead
Adam T. DeVoe
BROWNSTEIN HYATT & FARBER, P.C
410 17th Street, Twenty-Second Floor
Denver, Colorado 80202
jlochhead@bhf-law.com
adevoe@bhf-law.com
Telephone: 303.223.1100

Telephone: 303.223.1100 Facsimile: 303.223.1111

James Tucker, ISB #2038
Senior Attorney,
Idaho Power Company
Legal Dept
1221 West Idaho Street
Boise, Idaho 83702
jamestucker@idahopower.com

Telephone: 208 388 2112 Facsimile: 208 388 6935

Attorneys for Idaho Power Company

JUN 0 3 2005

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

PE7	Γľ
MA	Y
AM	Œ
RE	QŢ
	MA AM

IDAHO POWER COMPANY'S PETITION FOR HEARING ON MAY 19, 2005, SECOND AMENDED ORDER AND REQUEST FOR INDEPENDENT HEARING OFFICER

Idaho Power Company ("Idaho Power"), by and through its counsel, respectively submits this Petition for a Hearing on the Second Amended Order issued by the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources, Karl Dreher, on May 19, 2005 (the "Rangen Order"), in accordance with Idaho Code § 42-1701A(3), and Idaho Department of Water Resources ("IDWR"), Procedure Rule 740.02 b. IDAPA 37.01.01.740.02 b. Idaho Power also hereby requests appointment of an independent hearing office in accordance with Idaho Code § 42-1701A(2).

I. INTRODUCTION

Idaho Power holds water rights in Basin 36, water rights at Swan Falls, and minimum flow rights under the Swan Falls Agreement, which are threatened by the Director's findings in the Rangen Order. In the Rangen Order, the Director effectively reopens consideration of Rangen's decreed rights and determines that they were improperly or excessively decreed by the SRBA Court, despite the fact that the decrees from the SRBA Court are based on IDWR's own findings and recommendations. The Director then finds that these rights can be filled when water is available, but that Rangen may not enforce the full extent of its decreed water right through a call. Senior decreed water rights, such as Idaho Power's rights, are threatened by this finding which refuses to honor and administer water rights as decreed by the SRBA Court.

The Rangen Order also improperly finds that Rangen's call is futile. This futile call finding puts all senior water rights in jeopardy by failing to recognize the senior's right to full delivery and failing to administer water rights to satisfy the senior calling right. Further, the Director improperly relies upon the model, which contrary to the Director's findings is not a sufficient and accurate tool to conjunctively administer surface and groundwater rights in the Snake River and Eastern Snake Plains Aquifer ("ESPA"). Accordingly, the Director erroneously finds that curtailment would result in an insignificant quantity of water accruing to the Thousand Springs to Malad Gorge spring reach and the Snake River as reach gains.

II. ARGUMENT

A. Idaho Power Has Standing and is an Aggrieved Party

In order to initiate a contested hearing on an order issued by the Director, an aggrieved party must file a written petition stating the grounds for contesting the action by the Director and requesting a hearing. Idaho Code § 42-1701A(3); IDAPA 37.01.01.740. The form and content

of the petition is provided by Idaho Department of Water Resources, Procedure Rule 230. IDAPA 37 01 01.230.

Idaho Power is an aggrieved party in this action because it holds senior decreed water rights in Basin 36, water rights at Swan Falls, and contract rights for minimum flows under the Swan Falls Agreement. These rights are threatened by the Rangen Order which unilaterally amends and selectively enforces Rangen's senior decreed water rights. As such, should Idaho Power be forced to initiate a call to protect its senior decreed water rights in the future, the Rangen Order sets a dangerous precedent by refusing to recognize and enforce the terms of the SRBA decrees and finding that such calls are futile. Accordingly, Idaho Power is an aggrieved party and seeks a hearing to challenge the Rangen Order.

1. Idaho Power's Water Rights in Basin 36

Idaho Power's water rights in Basin 36 include the following, all of which have been partially decreed by the SRBA District Court:

Water Right #/Basis	Source	<u>Priority</u>	Amount	<u>Use</u>
36-2704	Niagara Springs	01/31/1966	120.0 cfs	Irrigation Domestic, Fire Protection, Fish Propagation
36-2082	Billingsley Creek	12/10/1948	5.0 cfs	Irrigation, Cooling, Fire Protection
36-2710	Clear Lake Springs	07/24/1940	0.1 cfs	Irrigation, Cooling, Domestic
36-2037	Spring	10/29/1921	0.3 cfs	Irrigation, Cooling Commercial, Domestic 3 Homes
36-15221	Niagara Springs	03/03/1982	0.04 cfs	Domestic
36-15357	Snow Bank Springs Thousand Springs	09/30/1936	0.11 cfs	Irrigation, Domestic 3 Homes

36-15358	Snow Bank Springs Thousand Springs	06/20/1924	0.03 cfs	Irrigation
36-7104	Springs	12/10/1969	0.3 cfs	Domestic, Irrigation
36-2478	Upper Tucker Springs	10/21/1939	3.21cfs	Irrigation, Stockwater, Cooling, Domestic, Fire Protection
36-15388	Spring	12/10/1949	0.15 cfs	Commercial, Domestic

See EXHIBIT A.

2. Idaho Power's Rights at Swan Falls

Idaho Power holds four water rights at Swan Falls: three licensed rights for 4000 cfs, 1,840 cfs and 1,460 cfs, – and a decreed water right with a 1900 priority for 4,000 cfs. (Water right Nos. 02-2032, 02-4000, 02-4001, and 02-0100 respectively). These water rights are subject to the Swan Falls Agreement (October 25, 1984) and the minimum flow, and other, provisions contained therein, and were decreed by the Ada County District Court in Case Nos. 81375 and 62237. See EXHIBIT B.

B. Grounds for Contesting the Action

In the Rangen Order, the Director looks behind Rangen's decree for water right No. 36-07694 to determine that the water right should never have been decreed for the amount claimed. See Rangen Order, Paragraphs 62 and 63, pages 14-15 In doing so, the Director disregards that this decree was based on the IDWR's findings and recommendations and dismisses the claimed and decreed amounts as "estimates" rather than an "actual measurement." Id. On that basis, the Director determines that while Rangen may divert water under water right No. 36-07694 when it is available, Rangen may not successfully prosecute a call for water under this water right.

The Director's attempts to amend or selectively enforce water rights decreed by the SRBA is plainly erroneous. Nothing in Idaho law gives the Director the authority to unilaterally

amend decreed water rights; nothing in Idaho law gives the Director the authority to ignore the terms of a decreed water right; and nothing in Idaho law gives the Director the authority to selectively enforce and administer decreed rights. Not only has the Director acted in direct contravention of Idaho law, the Rangen Order exceeds and abuses the limited authority granted by the SRBA Court allowing the Director to conjunctively administer decree water rights on an interim basis

Further, the Rangen Order improperly concludes that the Rangen call is futile. The futile call finding in the Rangen Order puts senior water rights in jeopardy by placing all of the risk of water shortage on seniors instead of allocating responsibility to junior water rights. Rather than order mitigation to satisfy the senior calling right, or devise a limited curtailment call, the Director essentially ignores the claims of the senior water rights holder and refuses to make the senior water right whole. This adverse precedent could potentially impede the ability of other senior water rights holders, including Idaho Power, to place a call against junior groundwater pumpers to protect senior water rights

The Director also erroneously concludes that curtailing junior priority groundwater rights will result in insignificant reach gains in the Thousand Springs to Malad Gorge reach. The model is not sufficiently accurate to support this conclusion, as is evidenced by the Director's reliance on a 10% error in the Conclusions of Law to support a futile call finding. See Rangen Order, Paragraph 25, page 28. The model was not properly calibrated to determine the effect of curtailing junior groundwater pumping on reach gains throughout the Snake River and the ESPA, and therefore cannot accurately predict the effect of groundwater pumping on reach gains. As such, the Director improperly relied on the model in determining that Rangen's call is futile.

In addition, Idaho Power intends to challenge the Rangen Order on questions of law and

fact, including, but not limited to, the issues raised in this petition for a hearing. For example, Idaho Power intends to argue that the Director erred in relying on the computer model because it is not sufficiently complete, accurate and reliable to conjunctively administer water rights in the Snake River and the Eastern Snake Plains Aquifer. Without limiting the scope of discovery or the hearing in this matter, Idaho Power reserves and by such reservation shall be entitled to determine through discovery or otherwise whether the IDWR's computer model is sufficiently and adequately calibrated, whether the calibration was conducted appropriately and whether the hydrogeologic basis for the IDWR's computer model, such as the direction and location of the movement of groundwater, and the assumptions used in developing and utilizing the model, such as transmissivity, are accurate and appropriate Finally, Idaho Power shall be entitled to ascertain the basis and assumptions by the Director in using the model as the basis for the findings in the Rangen Order.

Idaho Power incorporates by reference the grounds for protest as may be submitted by other parties contesting this order. Idaho Power also expressly reserves the right to raise additional issues as they come to light during discovery and the hearing process.

C. Request for Independent Hearing Officer

In addition to the above, Idaho Power respectfully requests that the Director appoint an independent hearing officer in this matter. Idaho Code § 42-1701A(2) allows the Director, in his discretion, to appoint a hearing officer. Rule 410 of the IDWR Rules of Procedure also call for an independent hearing officer, other then the agency head, to hear contested cases. IDAPA 37.01.01.410.

In this matter, an independent hearing officer should be appointed to hear the contested case and review the Rangen Order because it would be inappropriate for the Director to preside

over an administrative matter contesting his own order. Further, the Director has apparently taken part in the IDWR factual investigations that informed the Rangen Order. In that regard, the Director may be a fact witness in the hearing process to determine how the factual investigations were conducted and what information was gathered. The Director has also been a participant in past settlement negotiations, and has had direct contact and communications with the parties to these matters that could potentially bias his involvement in an administrative hearing contesting the Rangen Order. The Director has also been involved in the supervision and calibration of the model, and for that reason may be called as a fact witness. For all of these reasons, an independent hearing officer should be appointed to conduct a hearing on the Rangen Order.

D. Standard of Review at Requested Hearing

The hearing requested by Idaho Power, if granted, will be the first formal hearing before an independent hearing officer in this matter. Since there is no administrative record at this time, Idaho Power is not requesting a review of the Rangen Order; rather, Idaho Power seeks the opportunity to present evidence, develop the record, and obtain a *de novo* review of the Rangen Order. In that regard, an independent hearing officer is not bound by the determinations of the Director; instead, the independent hearing officer will be considering the matter on a fully developed factual and legal record for the first time, and must make a determination based on all of the evidence presented at the hearing

E. Burden of Proof

In the Rangen Order, and in previous interim orders from the Director, the Director contorts the burden of proof to remove any obligation on the part of the junior ground water pumpers to demonstrate that they are not causing injury to senior water rights. In the Rangen

Order, and other orders, the Director improperly shifted the burden of proof to the senior water rights holders to demonstrate that injury to their water rights is material, that their claims should not be reduced, that they have made full beneficial use of their claimed diversions, and that they should receive their full amount of permitted, decreed and adjudicated claims.

Contrary to the erroneous findings of the Director, senior water rights holders are entitled to the full amount of their permitted, decreed and adjudicated claims. Senior water rights holders, have made a *prima facie* showing that senior water rights are receiving less than their permitted, decreed and adjudicated claims for water, and senior water rights holders are not required to do more than make this *prima facie* showing

At the requested hearing, the junior ground water pumpers must have the burden of proof in demonstrating that their diversions are not causing harm to senior water rights. The burden of proof is on the junior water rights holders to demonstrate that the injury to senior water rights holders is not material, that a call is futile, that the seniors' claims should be reduced or, for any other reason, a senior should not receive the full permitted, decreed, and adjudicated amount of the claimed water right.

III. CONCLUSION

Idaho Power is an aggrieved party with standing to contest the Rangen Order Accordingly, Idaho Power respectfully requests a hearing to contest the actions of the Director before an independent hearing officer as provided by Idaho Code § 42-1701A

WHEREFORE, Idaho Power respectively requests a hearing on the Rangen Order before an independent hearing officer

DATED this 3rd day of June 2005.

IDAHO POWER COMPANY

James Tucker, Senior Attorney
IDAHO POWER COMPANY

and

James S Lochhead Adam T DeVoe BROWNSTEIN HYATT & FARBER, P.C. 410 17th Street Twenty-Second Floor Denver, CO 80202

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on this <u>day</u> of June, 2005, I served a copy of **IDAHO POWER COMPANY'S PETITION FOR HEARING ON MAY 19, 2005, SECOND AMENDED ORDER AND REQUEST FOR INDEPENDENT HEARING OFFICER**, by depositing same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope, addressed to the following:

Jeffrey C. Fereday Michael C. Creamer Givens Pursley LLP P.O. Box 2720 Boise, ID 83701-2720 cf@givenspursley.com mcc@givenspursley.com

J. Dee May May Sudweeks P. O. Box 1846 Twin Falls, Idaho jdee@tflaw.com

Allen Merritt
Cindy Yenter
IDWR
Southern Regional Office
1341 Fillmore Street, Suite 200
Twin Falls, ID 83301-3033
allen.merritt@idwr.idaho.gov
cindy.yenter@idwr.idaho.gov

Director Karl Dreher Idaho Department of Water Resources P O Box 83720 Boise, Idaho 83720-0098 karl.dreher@idwr.idaho.gov

Daniel V Steenson Ringer Clark, Chartered P O Box 2773 Boise, Idaho 83701-2773 dvs@ringertclark.com

John Simpson Barker Rosholt P.O. Box 2139 Boise, ID 83701-2139 jks@idahowaters.com Kathleen Carr Office of the Field Solicitor 550 W. Fort Street MSC 020 Boise, ID 83724

Gail McGarry PN-3100 US Bureau of Reclamation 1140 N. Curtis Road Boise, ID 83701-1234 emcgarry@pn.usbr.gov

Fritz Wonderlich Wonderlich & Wakefield P. O. Box 1812 Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-1812 fritz@tfidlaw.com

Fritz Haemmerle Haemmerle & Haemmerle P O Box 1800 Hailey, ID 83333 fxh@mindspring.com

fun Eq.

EXHIBIT A

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-2704

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)
) ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE
Case No. 39576)
) For Water Right 36-02704
)

On August 29, 2002, a Special Muster's Report and Recommendation was filed for the above water right. No Challenges were filed to the Special Muster's Report and Recommendation and the time for filing Challenges has now expired.

Pursuant to I R C.P. 53(e)(2) and SRBA Administrative Order 1, Section 13f, this Court has reviewed the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in the Special Master's Report and wholly adopts them as its own

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that water right 36-02704 is hereby decreed as set forth in the attached *Partial Decree* Pursuant to LR C P. 54(b).

DATED October 18, 2002

ROGER'S. BURDICK

Presiding Judge

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE TWIN FALLS CO., IDAHO

STATE OF IDAHO IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF IWIN FALLS

2002 OCT 18 AM 10 49

In Re SRBA

PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO

IRCP. 54(b) FOR

CASA NO. 39576

Water Right 36-02704

NAME AND ADDRESS.

TDAHO POWER COMPANY

P.O. BOX 70

BOISE ID 83707-0070

SOURCE:

NIAGARA SPRINGS

TRIBUTARY, SNAKE RIVER

QUANTITY:

120.00 CFS 48180 00 AFY

USE OF THIS RIGHT WITH RIGHT NO. 36-15221 IS LIMITED TO A TOTAL COMBINED DIVERSION RATE OF 120 CFS AND A TOTAL COMBINED ANNUAL

DIVERSION VOLUME OF 48 180 AF

PRIORITY DATE:

01/31/1966

POINT OF DIVERSION:

T09S R15E S10 LOT 1 (NENENE)
LOT 1 (SENENE) Within Gooding County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE Irrigation Domestic

PERIOD OF USE 03-15 TO 11-15 01-01 TO 12-31

01-01 TO 12-31

0 04 CFS 1.80 AFY 120.00 CFS 48180.00 AFY

QUANTITY

0.04 CFS 8 00 AFY

Fire Protection Fish Propagation

01-01 TO 12-31

120.00 CFS 48180 00 AFY

PLACE OF USE:

Irrigation

Within Gooding County

T09S R15E S10 LOT 9 (SENE) 2 0

2.0 Acres Total

Within Gooding County

Fish Propagation TO9S RISE SIG LOT 1 (NENE)

[OT 9 (SENE)

Domestic

Within Gooding County

TOPS RISE SID LOT 1 (NENE)

LOT 9 (SENE)

Fire Protection

Within Gooding County

T09S R15E S10 LOT 1 (NENE)

LOT 9 (SENE)

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

USE OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE "NIAGARA SPRINGS AGREEMENT, " DATED SEPTEMBER 30, 1993, AND THE "AMENDMENT TO NIAGARA SPRINGS AGREEMENT."

DATED JULY 24, 2002.

THIS PARTIAL DECREE IS SUBJECT TO SUCH GENERAL PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE RIGHTS OR FOR THE EFFICIENT ADMINISTRATION OF THE WATER RIGHTS AS MAY BE ULTIMATELY DETERMINED BY THE COURT AT A POINT IN TIME NO LATER THAN THE ENTRY OF A FINAL UNIFIED DECREE | I.C. SECTION 42-1412(6)

SRBA Partial Decree Pursuant to I R C.P 54(b) (continued)

RULE 54 (b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Roger Burdick

Presiding Judge of the

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-2082

1977 110Y 25 M 10 59

DISTRICT COURTES (TWINFALLS COLUDS () FILED

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)	ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE
Case No. 39576)	For Water Right 36-02082
)	

On August 1, 1997, a *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* was filed for the above water right. No Challenges were filed to the *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* and the time for filing Challenges has now expired.

Pursuant to I R C P 53(e)(2) and *SRBA Administrative Order 1*, Section 13f, this court has reviewed the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in the *Special Master's Report* and wholly adopts them as its own.

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that water right 36-02082 is hereby decreed as set forth in the attached *Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P.* 54(b).

DATED November 25, 1997.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, IR.

Presiding Judge

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF THIN FALLS

107 110 25 M 10 58 PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR In Re SRBA Case No. 39576 DISTRICT COURTS IN TWINFALLS COLIDARD Water Right 36-02082 FILED ____

NAME & ADDRESS:

IDAHO POWER CO

PO BOX 70

BOISE ID 83707 0070

SOURCE:

BILLINGSLEY CREEK

TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER

QUANTITY:

5..00 CFS

PRIORITY DATE:

12/10/1948

POINT OF DIVERSION:

TO7S R13E \$11

NUSHNE

Within GOODING County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	YTITMAUD
IRRIGATION	Irrigation Season	0.12 CFS
COOLING	01-01 12-31	5.00 CFS
FIRE PROTECTION	01-01 12-31	5.00 CFS

COOLING AT LOWER SALMON FALLS POWER PLANT.

PLACE OF USE:

IRRIGATION

Within GOODING County

T07S R13E S02

Lot 7 (SESW) 2 Lot 2 (NENW) 3

Lot 2 (NWNW) 1

511

6 ACRES TOTAL

Within GOODING County

COOLING T07S R13E S02 Lot 7 (SESW)

Within GOODING County

FIRE PROTECTION 107S R13E S02

Lot 7 (SESW) Lot 2 (NENW)

\$11

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT PRESIDING JUDGE

Snake River Basin Adjudication

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

PRESIDING JUDGE

Snake River Basin Adjudication

PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO I.R.C.P. 54(b) Water Right 36-02082

PAGE NOV-20-1997

2001 Aug 27 PM 1:30 District Court-SRBA Twin Falls Idaho Filed: drd

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA	Water Right 36-02082
,	ORDER AMENDING IRRIGATION PERIOD OF USE ELEMENT
Case No. 39576	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	IN PARTIAL DECREE AND INCORPORATING INTO PARTIAL
	DECREE AN EXPRESS STATEMENT REGARDING GENERAL
	PROVISIONS, NUNC PRO TUNC

A Partial Decree was entered for the above-captioned irrigation water right on November 25, 1997. The period of use element was decreed as "irrigation season." In A&B Irrigation Dist. v. Idaho Conservation League, 131 Idaho 411, 423, 958 P.2d 568, 580 (1998), the Idaho Supreme Court remanded with the directive to include specific dates for the period of use element. Following remand, IDWR filed a Supplemental Director's Report, Reporting Area 3, IDWR Basin 36, Regarding Revision of Period of use (For Irrigation Water Uses) and Conjunctive Management General Provisions, which included an irrigation period of use recommendation for this water right. No objections were filed to this recommendation and the time period for filing objections has now expired.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the period of use for the irrigation element of the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed as:

PERIOD OF USE:

02-15 11-30

II IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Partial Decree for the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed to contain the following:

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree I.C section 42-1412(6).

This order is being entered nunc pro tunc as of the date the Partial Decree was issued and is not intended to modify any subsequent administrative changes for the water right, if any, which occurred following entry of the Partial Decree.

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I R C P, that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Dated August 27, 2001

ROGER BURDICK

Presiding Judge

Snake River Basin Adjudication

.

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-2710

1993	HER	-2	Pil	2:	45
	RICT N FAI				
E11 -	.				

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)	ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE
Case No. 39576)	For Water Right 36-02710
	<u>)</u>	

On January 13, 1998, a *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* was filed for the above water right. No Challenges were filed to the *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* and the time for filing Challenges has now expired.

Pursuant to I.R C.P. 53(e)(2) and *SRBA Administrative Order 1*, Section 13f, this court has reviewed the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in the *Special Master's Report* and wholly adopts them as its own

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that water right 36-02710 is hereby decreed as set forth in the attached *Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b)*.

DATED March 2, 1998.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, JR.

Presiding Judge

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA))	PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR	DISTRICT COURT - SRBA
Case No. 39576	}	Water Right 36-02710	TWIN FALLS CO., IDAHO
			FILED
NAME & ADDRESS:	IDAHO POWER CO PO BOX 70 BOISE ID 83707		
SOURCE:	SPRINGS CLEAR LAKE	TRIBUTARY: CLEAR I SNAKE I	
QUANTITY:	0.1 CFS		
PRIORITY DATE:	07/24/1940		
POINT OF DIVERSION:	T098 R14E \$02	SWSWNE LOT 7 (MESWSE)	Within GOODING County
PURPOSE AND			
PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE IRRIGATION COOLING DOMESTIC	Irr C	PERIOD OF USE QUANTITY -igation Season 005 CFS 01-01 12-31 001 CFS 01-01 12-31 004 CFS
	DOMESTIC USE	FOR 1 HOME AND PARK RESTROOMS.	
PLACE OF USE:	S11	Within GOODING County Lot 7 (SWSE) 1 Lot 6 (MWNE) 0.5	
	1.5 ACRES TOTAL		
	COOLING TOPS R14E SO2	Within GOODING County Lot 7 (SWSE)	
	DOMESTIC TOPS R14E SO2	Within GOODING County Lot 7 (SWSE)	

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, JR.

2001 Aug 27 PM 1:30
District Court-SRBA
Twin Falls, Idaho
Filed: __drd_____

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA	Water Right 36-02710
Case No. 39576	ORDER AMENDING IRRIGATION PERIOD OF USE ELEMENT
	IN PARTIAL DECREE AND INCORPORATING INTO PARTIAL
	DECREE AN EXPRESS STATEMENT REGARDING GENERAL
	PROVISIONS. NUNC PRO TUNC

A Partial Decree was entered for the above-captioned irrigation water right on March 02, 1998. The period of use element was decreed as "irrigation season." In A&B Irrigation Dist. v. Idaho Conservation League, 131 Idaho 411, 423, 958 P.2d 568, 580 (1998), the Idaho Supreme Court remanded with the directive to include specific dates for the period of use element. Following remand, IDWR filed a Supplemental Director's Report, Reporting Area 3, IDWR Basin 36, Regarding Revision of Period of use (For Irrigation Water Uses) and Conjunctive Management General Provisions, which included an irrigation period of use recommendation for this water right. No objections were filed to this recommendation and the time period for filing objections has now expired.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the period of use for the irrigation element of the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed as:

PERIOD OF USE:

03-15 11-13

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the *Partial Decree* for the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed to contain the following:

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree. I.C. section 42-1412(6).

This order is being entered nunc pro tunc as of the date the Partial Decree was issued and is not intended to modify any subsequent administrative changes for the water right, if any, which occurred following entry of the Partial Decree.

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Dated August 27, 2001

ROGER BURDICK Presiding Judge

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-2037

1997 1191 25 州中 58

DISTRICT COURT S TWINFALLS COLD -FILED

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)	ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE
Case No. 39576)	For Water Right 3602037

On August 27, 1997, a *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* was filed for the above water right. No Challenges were filed to the *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* and the time for filing Challenges has now expired.

Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 53(e)(2) and SRBA Administrative Order 1, Section 13f, this court has reviewed the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in the Special Master's Report and wholly adopts them as its own.

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that water right 36-02037 is hereby decreed as set forth in the attached *Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P.* 54(b).

DATED November 25, 1997.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, JR

Presiding Judge

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

197 110V 25 M ID: 53 In Re SRBA PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR Case No. 39576 DISTRICT COURT-S TWIN-FALLS 60 JIDAH) Water Right 36-02037 FILER IDANO POWER CO

NAME & ADDRESS:

PO BOX 70

BOISE 10 83707-0070

SOURCE:

SPRING

TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER

QUANTITY:

0.3 CFS

PRIORITY DATE:

10/29/1921

POINT OF DIVERSION:

T09S R18E S31 LOT 3 (NWSENW)

Within JEROME County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE IRRIGATION COMMERCIAL COOLING	PERIOD OF USE Irrigation Season 01-01 12-31 01-01 12-31	QUANTITY 0.06 CFS 0.02 CFS 0.3 CFS 0.66 CFS
DOMESTIC 3 HOMES	01-01 12-31	0.06 CFS

COOLING USE IS FOR TURBINES/BEARINGS AND COMMERCIAL USE FOR

OFFICE/BATHROOMS...

PLACE OF USE:

IRRIGATION

Within JEROME County

T09S R17E S36 R18E 931

Lot 15 (NESE) 0.2 Lot 9 (NWSW) 1.6

1.8 ACRES TOTAL

COMMERCIAL

Within JEROME County

T098 R17E 836 Lot 15 (NESE)

COOL ING

Within JEROME County

109\$ R17E \$36

Lot 15 (NESE)

DOMESTIC

Within JEROME County

T09S R18E \$31 Lot 9 (NWSW)

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, JR.

PRESIDING JUDGE

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, PRESIDING JUDGE

District C
Twin Falls, loa
Filed: __drd

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)	Water Right 36-02037	
	Y	•
Case No. 39576	ORDER AMENDING IRRIGATION PERIOD	OF USE ELEMENT
	IN PARTIAL DECREE AND INCORPORATI	NG INTO PARTIAL
	DECREE AN EXPRESS STATEMENT REGA	RDING GENERAL *
	PROVISIONS, NUNC PRO TUNC	

A Partial Decree was entered for the above-captioned irrigation water right on November 25, 1997. The period of use element was decreed as "irrigation season." In A&B Irrigation Dist. v. Idaho Conservation League, 131 Idaho 411, 423, 958 P 2d 568, 580 (1998), the Idaho Supreme Court remanded with the directive to include specific dates for the period of use element. Following remand, IDWR filed a Supplemental Director's Report, Reporting Area 3, IDWR Basin 36, Regarding Revision of Period of use (For Irrigation Water Uses) and Conjunctive Management General Provisions, which included an irrigation period of use recommendation for this water right. No objections were filed to this recommendation and the time period for filing objections has now expired.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the period of use for the irrigation element of the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed as:

PERIOD OF USE:

03-15 11-15

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the *Partial Decree* for the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed to contain the following:

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree. I.C. section 42-1412(6).

This order is being entered *nunc pro tunc* as of the date the *Partial Decree* was issued and is not intended to modify any subsequent administrative changes for the water right, if any, which occurred following entry of the *Partial Decree*.

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Dated August 27, 2001

ROGER BURDICK

Presiding Judge

Snake River Basin Adjudication

Roser Burdiel

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-15221

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)
) ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE
Case No. 39576)
) For Water Right 36-15221
)

On August 29, 2002, a Special Master's Report and Recommendation was filed for the above water right. No Challenges were filed to the Special Master's Report and Recommendation and the time for filing Challenges has now expired.

Pursuant to LR.CP 53(e)(2) and SRBA Administrative Order 1, Section 13f, this Court has reviewed the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in the Special Master's Report and wholly adopts them as its own

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that water right 36-15221 is hereby decreed as set forth in the attached *Partial Decree* Pursuant to IR C P. 54(b)

ROGER'S. BURDICK

Presiding Judge

Snake River Basin Adjudication

October 18, 2002

DATED

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO. IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN PAIROUS OCT 18 AM 10 48

In Re SRBA

PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO

I.R.C P. 54 (b) FOR

Case No. 39576

Water Right 36-15221

NAME AND ADDRESS:

IDAHO POWER COMPANY

P.O. BOX 70

BOISE ID 83701-0070

SOURCE:

NIAGARA SPRINGS

TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER

QUANTITY:

0 04 CFS 0.60 AFY

USE OF THIS RIGHT WITH RIGHT NO. 36-02704 IS LIMITED TO A TOTAL COMBINED DIVERSION RATE OF 120 0 CFS AND A TOTAL COMBINED ANNUAL

DIVERSION VOLUME OF 48180 AF.

THE QUANTITY OF WATER UNDER THIS RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED 13,000

GALLONS PER DAY

PRIORITY DATE:

03/03/1982

THIS WATER RIGHT IS SUBORDINATE TO ALL WATER RIGHTS WITH A PRIORITY DATE EARLIER THAN APRIL 12, 1994, THAT ARE NOT DECREED AS ENLARGEMENTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-1426, IDAHO CODE. AS BETWEEN WATER RIGHTS DECREED AS ENLARGEMENTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-1426 IDAHO CODE. THE EARLIER PRIORITY DATE IS THE SUPERIOR

RIGHT.

POINT OF DIVERSION:

TO9S RISE 510 LOT 1 (NENENE)

Within Gooding County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE

PERIOD OF USE

QUANTITY 0 04 CFS

Domestic

01-01 TO 12-31 0 04 CFS 0 60 AFY

PLACE OF USE:

Domestic

Within Gooding County

T095 R15E

TO9S RISE S10 LOT 9 (SENE)

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

USE OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE "NIAGARA SPRINGS AGREEMENT," DATED SEPTEMBER 30, 1993, AND THE "AMENDMENT TO NIAGARA SPRINGS AGREEMENT."

DATED JULY 24, 2002.

THIS PARTIAL DECREE IS SUBJECT TO SUCH GENERAL PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE RIGHTS OR FOR THE EFFICIENT ADMINISTRATION OF THE WATER RIGHTS AS MAY BE UITIMATELY DETERMINED BY THE COURT AT A POINT IN TIME NO LATER THAN THE ENTRY OF A FINAL UNITIED DECREE. I.C. SECTION 42-1412(6)

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Roger Burdick

Presiding Judge of the

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-15357

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA	?	PARTIAL DECREE PURSU	ANT TO IDD7	HOWO/PHO MO	
Case No. 39576)	I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR	1.77	110V 26 PH 2: 42	
	;	Water Right 36-15357	17/1/1 17/1/1	RICT COURT-STA	
NAME & ADDRESS:	IDAHO POWER CO PO BOX 70 BOISE ID 83707-0070		F.E. ▶	THE PARTY OF THE P	
SOURCE:	THOUSAND SPRINGS SNOW BANK SPRINGS		SNAKE RIVER : SNAKE RIVER		
QUANTITY:	0.11 CFS		* ,		
	THE QUANTITY OF WA	TER UNDER THIS RIGHT FO	OR DOMESTIC USE SHALL		
PRIORITY DATE:	09/30/1936				
POINT OF DIVERSION:	T08S R14E S08	aesase Hararse Hesase	Within	Within GOODING County	
PURPOSE AND					
PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE IRRIGATION DOMESTIC 3 HOMES		PERIOD OF USE Irrigation Season 01-01 12-31	QUANTITY 0.03 CFS 0.08 CFS	
PLACE OF USE:	IRRIGATION TOBS R14E SOB Lo 1 ACRES TOTAL	Within GOODING Coot 4 (SESW) 1	unty		
	DOMESTIC TOBS R14E S08	Within GOODING Con SWSE	<i>i</i> nty		

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THE QUANTITY OF WATER DECREED FOR THIS WATER RIGHT FOR DOMESTIC USE IS NOT A DETERMINATION OF HISTORICAL BENEFICIAL USE...

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT,

PRESIDING JUDGE

Snake River Basin Adjudication

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, PRESIDING JUDGE

Snake River Basin Adjudication

PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO I.R.C.P. 54(b) Water Right 36-15357

PAGE 1 NOV-20-1997

2001 Aug 27 PM 1:30 District Court-SRBA Twin Falls, Idaho Filed: drd

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)	Water Right 36-15357
Case No. 39576	ORDER AMENDING IRRIGATION PERIOD OF USE ELEMENT
	IN PARTIAL DECREE AND INCORPORATING INTO PARTIAL
	DECREE AN EXPRESS STATEMENT REGARDING GENERAL
	PROVISIONS, NUNC PRO TUNC

A Partial Decree was entered for the above-captioned irrigation water right on November 28, 1997. The period of use element was decreed as "irrigation season." In A&B Irrigation Dist. v. Idaho Conservation League, 131 Idaho 411, 423, 958 P.2d 568, 580 (1998), the Idaho Supreme Court remanded with the directive to include specific dates for the period of use element. Following remand, IDWR filed a Supplemental Director's Report, Reporting Area 3, IDWR Basin 36, Regarding Revision of Period of use (For Irrigation Water Uses) and Conjunctive Management General Provisions, which included an irrigation period of use recommendation for this water right. No objections were filed to this recommendation and the time period for filing objections has now expired.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the period of use for the irrigation element of the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed as:

PERIOD OF USE:

02-15 11-30

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the *Partial Decree* for the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed to contain the following:

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree. I.C. section 42-1412(6).

This order is being entered *nunc pro tunc* as of the date the *Partial Decree* was issued and is not intended to modify any subsequent administrative changes for the water right, if any, which occurred following entry of the *Partial Decree*.

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Dated August 27, 2001

ROGER BURDICK

Presiding Judge

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-15358

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDANO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

in Re SRBA Case No. 39576 PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO

I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR

1597 HAV 26 PM 2: 42

Water Right 36 15358

DISTRICT COURT-STAR TWIN-FALLS COLIDARD FUED

NAME & ADDRESS:

IDAHO POWER CO

PO BOX 70 BOISE ID 83707-0070

SOURCE:

THOUSAND SPRINGS SNOW BANK SPRINGS

TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER

SNAKE RIVER

QUARTITY:

0..03 CFS

PRIORITY DATE:

06/20/1924

POINT OF DIVERSION: T08S R14E S08 SWNWSE

NESWSE

NWSWSE SESWSE

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE

IRRIGATION

PERIOD OF USE

QUANTITY

Within GOODING County

Irrigation Season

PLACE OF USE:

IRRIGATION

Within GOODING County

T085 R14E S08 Lot 4 (SESW) 1

1 ACRES TOTAL

HURLBUTT

PRESIDING JUDGE

Snake River Basin Adjudication

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

PRESIDING JUDGE

Snake River Basin Adjudication

PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO L.R.C.P. 54(b) Water Right 36-15358

PAGE NOV-20-1997

2001 Aug 27 PM 1:30
District Court-SRBA
Twin Falls, Idaho
Filed: drd

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA	Water Right 36-15358
Case No. 39576	ORDER AMENDING IRRIGATION PERIOD OF USE ELEMENT
	IN PARTIAL DECREE AND INCORPORATING INTO PARTIAL
	DECREE AN EXPRESS STATEMENT REGARDING GENERAL
	PROVISIONS, NUNC PRO TUNC

A Partial Decree was entered for the above captioned irrigation water right on November 28, 1997. The period of use element was decreed as "irrigation season." In A&B Irrigation Dist. v. Idaho Conservation League, 131 Idaho 411, 423, 958 P.2d 568, 580 (1998), the Idaho Supreme Court remanded with the directive to include specific dates for the period of use element. Following remand, IDWR filed a Supplemental Director's Report, Reporting Area 3, IDWR Basin 36, Regarding Revision of Period of use (For Irrigation Water Uses) and Conjunctive Management General Provisions, which included an irrigation period of use recommendation for this water right. No objections were filed to this recommendation and the time period for filing objections has now expired.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the period of use for the irrigation element of the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed as:

PERIOD OF USE:

02-15 11-30

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the *Partial Decree* for the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed to contain the following:

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree I.C. section 42-1412(6).

This order is being entered *nunc pro tunc* as of the date the *Partial Decree* was issued and is not intended to modify any subsequent administrative changes for the water right, if any, which occurred following entry of the *Partial Decree*.

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERIIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Dated August 27, 2001

ROGER BURDICK

Presiding Judge

Snake River Basin Adjudication

Roger Burdiek

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-7104

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE PIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO. IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO IRCP 54(b) FOR Case No 39576

Water Right 36-07104

2001 DEC 19 PM 4: 18

NAME AND ADDRESS:

IDAHO POWER COMPANY

PO BOX 70

BOISE, ID 83707

SOURCE:

SPRINGS

TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER

QUANTITY:

0.30 CFS 81.20 AFY

THE QUANTITY OF WATER UNDER THIS RIGHT FOR DOMESTIC USE SHALL NOT EXCEED 13,000 GALLONS PER DAY.

PRIORITY DATE:

12/10/1969

POINT OF DIVERSION:

TO8S R14E S33 LOT 01 (SENWNE)

Within Gooding County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE PERIOD OF USE QUANTITY Domestic 81-01 TO 12-31 0.04 CFS 1.20 AFY Irrigation 02-01 TO 10-31 0.30 CFS 80 00 AFY

DOMESTIC USE IS FOR A YEAR ROUND SCOUT CAMP FACILITY THE USE OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION UNDER THIS RIGHT MAY CONTINUE TO AS LATE AS NOVEMBER 15, PROVIDED OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE RIGHT ARE NOT EXCEEDED. THE USE OF WATER AFTER OCTOBER 31 UNDER THIS REMARK IS SUBORDINATE TO ALL WATER RIGHTS HAVING NO SUBORDINATED LATE IRRIGATION USE AND A PRIORITY DATE EARLIER THAN THE DATE A

PARTIAL DECREE IS ENTERED FOR THIS RIGHT.

PLACE OF USE:

Irrigation

T085 R145 S33 LOT 01 (NWNE) 20 .0 20.0 Acres Total

Domestic

Within Gooding County

Within Gooding County Same as Irrigation

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THE QUANTITY OF WATER DECREED FOR THIS WATER RIGHT FOR DOMESTIC USE IS NOT A DETERMINATION OF HISTORICAL BENEFICIAL USE.

THIS PARTIAL DECREE IS SUBJECT TO SUCH GENERAL PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE RIGHTS OR FOR THE EFFICIENT ADMINISTRATION OF THE WATER RIGHTS AS MAY BE ULTIMATELY DETERMINED BY THE COURT AT A POINT IN TIME NO LATER THAN THE ENTRY OF A FINAL UNIFIED DECREE. I C SECTION 42-1412(6)

ţ

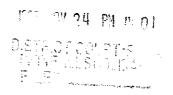
RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Roger Burdick

Presiding Judge of the

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-2478



IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)	ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE
Case No. 39576)	For Water Right 36-02478
)	

On August 1, 1997, a *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* was filed for the above water right. No Challenges were filed to the *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* and the time for filing Challenges has now expired.

Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 53(e)(2) and *SRBA Administrative Order 1*, Section 13f, this court has reviewed the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in the *Special Master's Report* and wholly adopts them as its own.

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that water right 36-02478 is hereby decreed as set forth in the attached *Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b)*.

DATED November 2, 1997.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT,

Presiding Judge

Snake River Basin Adjudication

mulle-

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE

STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS In Re SRBA PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO 10 24 PM 4:01 I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR Case No., 39576 Water Right 36-02478 NAME & ADDRESS: IDAHO POWER CO PO BOX 70 B01SE ID 83707-0070 SOURCE: TUCKER SPRINGS, UPPER TRIBUTARY: RILEY CREEK QUANTITY: 3,21 CFS THE APPROPRIATOR IS ENTITLED TO THE QUANTITY OF WATER DESCRIBED FOR STOCK WATER PURPOSES AT A POINT OF MEASUREMENT WHERE THE DELIVERY DITCH ENTERS THE PLACE OF USE DESCRIBED, SO LONG AS THE QUANTITY DIVERTED AT THE POINT OF DIVERSION DOES NOT CONSTITUTE UNREASONABLE WASTE. PRIORITY DATE: 10/21/1939 POINT OF DIVERSION: T07S R13E S36 NWSESE Within GOODING County PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
IRRIGATION	Irrigation Season	0.06 CFS
STOCKWATER	01-01 12-31	0.02 CFS
COOLING	01-01 12-31	3,00 CFS
DOMESTIC 8 HOUSES	01-01 12-31	013 CFS
FIRE PROTECTION	01-01 12-31	3.00 CFS

COOLING IS FOR 2 POWER PLANTS

PLACE OF USE:

IRRIGATION

Within TWIN FALLS County

TO8S R13E S02 Lot 4 (NWNW) 2

2 ACRES TOTAL

STOCKWATER

Within TWIN FALLS County

T07S R13E S34 Lot 6 (SWSW)

COOL ING

Within TWIN FALLS County

T08S R13E S02

Lot 4 (NWNW)

S03 Lot 3 (NWNW)

DOMESTIC

Within TWIN FALLS County

T07S R13E S34

Lot 6 (SWSW)

1085 R13E S02

Lot 4 (NWNW)

FIRE PROTECTION

Within TWIN FALLS County Lot 6 (SWSW)

T07S R13E \$34 T08S R13E S02

S03

Lot 4 (NWNW) Lot 3 (NWNW)

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT PRESIDING JUDGE

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, JR PRESIDING JUDGE

2001 Aug 27 PM 1:30
District Court-SRBA
Twin Falls, Idaho
Filed: ___drd

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA)	Water Right 36-02478
Case No. 39576	ORDER AMENDING IRRIGATION PERIOD OF USE ELEMENT
	IN PARTIAL DECREE AND INCORPORATING INTO PARTIAL
	DECREE AN EXPRESS STATEMENT REGARDING GENERAL
	PROVISIONS, NUNC PRO TUNC

A Partial Decree was entered for the above-captioned irrigation water right on November 24, 1997. The period of use element was decreed as "irrigation season." In A&B Irrigation Dist. v. Idaho Conservation League, 131 Idaho 411, 423, 958 P.2d 568, 580 (1998), the Idaho Supreme Court remanded with the directive to include specific dates for the period of use element. Following remand, IDWR filed a Supplemental Director's Report, Reporting Area 3, IDWR Basin 36, Regarding Revision of Period of use (For Irrigation Water Uses) and Conjunctive Management General Provisions, which included an irrigation period of use recommendation for this water right. No objections were filed to this recommendation and the time period for filing objections has now expired.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the period of use for the irrigation element of the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed as:

PERIOD OF USE:

02-15 11-30

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the *Partial Decree* for the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed to contain the following:

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree. I.C. section 42-1412(6).

This order is being entered *nunc pro tunc* as of the date the *Partial Decree* was issued and is not intended to modify any subsequent administrative changes for the water right, if any, which occurred following entry of the *Partial Decree*.

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Dated August 27, 2001

ROGER BURDICK

Presiding Judge

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-15388

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO In Re SRBA FET 10V 26 PM 2: 112 I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR Case No. 39576 DISTRICT COURT-ST TWIN-FALLS COLLEGE Water Right 36-15388

NAME & ADDRESS:

IDAHO POWER CO

PO BOX 70

BOISE ID 83707-0070

SOURCE:

SPRING

TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER

QUANTITY:

0.15 CFS

THE QUANTITY OF WATER UNDER THIS RIGHT FOR DOMESTIC USE SHALL

NOT EXCEED 13,000 GALLONS PER DAY.

PRIORITY DATE:

12/10/1949

POINT OF DIVERSION:

T07S R13E S02

LOT 7 (SWSESW)

Within GOODING County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE

PERIOD OF USE

QUANTITY

COMMERCIAL

01-01 12-31 0..03 CFS

DOMESTIC

01-01 12-31 0.12

USE IS FOR DOMESTIC, 6 HOMES; COMMERCIAL, 3 PLANT RESTROOMS, 1

PARK RESTROOM

PLACE OF USE:

COMMERCIAL

Within GOODING County

T07S R13E \$02

Lot 7 (SESW)

S11

Lot 2 (NWNW)

DOMESTIC

Within GOODING County

T07S R13E S11 Lot 2 (NENW)

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THE QUANTITY OF WATER DECREED FOR THIS WATER RIGHT FOR DOMESTIC USE IS NOT A DETERMINATION OF HISTORICAL BENEFICIAL USE.

PRESIDING JUDGE

Snake River Basin Adjudication

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT,

PRESIDING JUDGE

Snake River Basin Adjudication

PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO I .R . C.P .. 54(b) Water Right 36-15388

PAGE NOV-20-1997

LOWER SALMON

EXHIBIT B

 $\mathcal{A}_{\mathbf{q}}$

27

28

PM 205

the

State

3 4 5 6 7 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE 8 STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ADA 9 IDAHO POWER COMPANY, 10 Case No. 81375 a corporation, 11 Plaintiff. 12 vs. CONSENT JUDGMENT 13 STATE OF IDAHO, IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, et al. 14 15 Defendants. 16 17 Upon stipulation οf Plaintiff and 18 Defendants, and good cause appearing; 19 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED: 20 Idaho Power Company's water rights shall be as 1. 21 follows (bracketed names below refer to Company projects): 22 State Water License Numbers 36-2013 (Thousand Springs), 37-2128 & 37-2472 (Lower Malad), 37-2471 (Upper Malad), 36-2018 (Clear Lake), 36-2026 (Sand Springs), 02-2057 (Upper Salmon), 02-2001A, 02-2001B, 23 24 02-2059, 02-2060 (Lower Salmon), 02-2064, 02-2065 (Bliss), 02-2056 (Twin Falls), 25 02-2036 (Shoshone Falls), 02-2032, 02-4000, 02-4001, and Decree Number 02-0100 (Swan 26 Falls) entitle the Company to

unsubordinated right of 3900 c.f.s. average

3

4 5

7

6

10

9

11 12

13 14

15

16 17

18

19

20 21

22

23 24

25

26

27

28

daily flow from April 1 to October 31, and 5600 c.f.s. average daily flow from November 1 to March 31, both to be measured at the Murphy U.S.G.S. gauging station immediately below Swan Falls. These flows are not subject to depletion. The Murphy gauging station is located at latitude 43°17'31", Longitude 116°25'12", in NW1/4 NE1/4 SE1/4 of Section 35 in Township 1 South, Range 1 West, Boise Meridian, Ada County Hydrologic Unit 17050103, on right bank 4.2 miles downstream from Swan Falls Power Plant, 7.5 miles NE of Murphy, at river mile 453.5.

The Company is also entitled to use the flow of the Snake River at its facilities to the extent of its actual beneficial use, but not to exceed those amounts stated in State Water License Numbers 36-2013 (Thousand Springs), 37-2128 & 37-2472 (Lower Malad), 37-2471 (Upper Malad), 36-2018 (Clear Lake), 36-2026 (Sand Springs), 02-2057 (Upper Salmon), 02-2001A, 02-2001B, 02-2059. 02-2060 (Lower Salmon), 02-2064, 02-2065 (Bliss), 02-2056 (Twin Falls), 02-2036 (Shoshone Falls), 02-2032, 02-4000, 02-4001, and Decree Number 02-0100 (Swan Falls), but such rights in excess of the amounts stated in 1(A) shall be subordinate to subsequent beneficial upstream uses upon approval of such uses by the State in accordance with State law unless the depletion violates or will violate paragraph 1(A). Company retains it right to contest any appropriation of water in accordance with State law. Company further retains the right to compel State to take reasonable steps to insure the average daily flows established by this Agreement at the Murphy U.S.G.S. gauging station. Average daily flow, as used herein, shall be based upon flow conditions; fluctuations resulting from the operation of Company facilities shall not be considered in the calculation of the minimum daily flows set forth herein. stream paragraph shall constitute a subordination condition.

C. The Company's rights listed in paragraph 1(A) and 1(B) are also subordinate to the uses of those persons dismissed from this case pursuant to the contract executed between the State and Company implementing the terms of Idaho Code \$561-539 and 61-540.

3 4

5 6

7

8

9

11

12

14 15

16 17

18

19

20

21

22 23

24

25

1

26

27

0726p

28

- The Company's rights listed paragraph 1(A) and 1(B) are also subordinate to those persons who have beneficially used water prior to October 1, 1984, and who have filed an application or claim for said use by June 30, 1985.
- Company's ability to purchase, lease, own, or otherwise acquire water from sources upstream of its power plants and convey it to and past its power plants below Milner Dam shall not be limited by this agreement. Such flows shall be considered fluctuations resulting from operation of Company facilities.
- 2. The above-captioned case is hereby dismissed without prejudice as to all remaining defendants other than the State defendants.
- The above-captioned case is hereby dismissed with prejudice as against the State defendants as to all claims of plaintiff not resolved by the decisions of the Idaho Supreme Court reported as Idaho Power Company v. State of Idaho, 104 Idaho 570, 661 P.2d 736 and 104 Idaho 575, 661 P.2d 741 (1983) or by the entry of this Judgment.
- The Swan Falls Agreement, dated October 25, 1984, shall not be merged into nor integrated with this Judgment, but shall remain in full force and effect independent of this Judgment.
 - Each and all parties shall bear their own costs. DATED this 27 day of Jehrnam

DISTRICT JUDGE

6

8

9

10

12

13

14

15

16

17

19

설심

,

MAR 9

Mathtun Menter

1990

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ADA

11

IDAHO POWER COMPANY, a corporation,

Case No. 62237

Plaintiff,

.. **..** .. ==

nogu

V5.

CONSENT JUDGMENT

STATE OF IDAHO, IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, et al.

Defendants.

18

19

20

21

22

23

24

25

26

27

28

stipulation of Plaintiff and the State

Defendants, and good cause appearing;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED:

1. Idaho Power Company's water rights shall be as follows (bracketed names below refer to Company projects):

> State Water License Numbers 36-2013 (Thousand Springs), 37-2128 & 37-2472 (Lower 36-2018 37-2471 (Upper Malad), Malad), Lake), Springs), (Clear 36-2026 (Sand 02-2057 (Upper Salmon), 02-2001A, 02-2001B, 02-2060 (Lower Salmon), 02-2064, 02-2059, (Bliss), 02-2056 02-2065 (Twin Falls), 02-2036 (Shoshone Falls), 02-2032, 02-4000, 02-4001, and Decree Number 02-0100 (Swan

Falls)

entitle

1 2

3

4 5

6 7

8 9

10 11

12

13 14

15

16

17 18

113

19

20

21

22

23 24

25

26

27 28

unsubordinated right of 3900 c.f.s. average daily flow from April 1 to October 31, and 5600 c.f.s. average daily flow from November 1 to March 31, both to be measured at the Murphy U.S.G.S. gauging station immediately below Swan Falls. These flows are not subject to depletion. The Murphy gauging station is located at latitude 43°17'31", Longitude 116°25'12", in NW1/4 NE1/4 SE1/4 of Section 35 in Township 1 South, Range 1 West, Boise Meridian, Ada County Hydrologic Unit 17050103, on right bank 4.2 miles downstream from Swan Falls Power Plant, 7.5 miles NE of Murphy, at river mile 453.5. The Company is also entitled to use the

the

Company

flow of the Snake River at its facilities to the extent of its actual beneficial use, but not to exceed those amounts stated in State License Numbers 36-2013 (Thousand Water Springs), 37-2128 & 37-2472 (Lower Malad), 37-2471 (Upper Malad), 36-2018 (Clear Lake), (Sand Springs), 02-2057 36-2026 (Upper 02-2001A, 02-2001B, Salmon), 02-2059, 02-2060 (Lower Salmon), 02-2064, 02-2065 (Bliss), 02-2056 (Twin Falls), 02-2036 (Shoshone Falls), 02-2032, 02-4000, 02-4001, and Decree Number 02-0100 (Swan Falls), but such rights in excess of the amounts stated in 1(A) shall be subordinate to subsequent beneficial upstream uses upon approval of such uses by the State in accordance with State law unless the depletion violates or will violate paragraph 1(A). Company retains it right to contest any appropriation of water in accordance with State law. Company further retains the right to compel State to take reasonable steps to insure the average daily flows established by this Agreement at the Murphy U.S.G.S. gauging station. Average daily flow, as used herein, shall be based upon flow conditions; actual thus, fluctuations resulting from the operation of Company facilities shall not be considered in the calculation of the minimum daily stream flows set forth herein. paragraph shall constitute a subordination condition.

C. The Company's rights listed in paragraph 1(A) and 1(B) are also subordinate to the uses of those persons dismissed from Ada County Case No. 81375 pursuant to the

ij

0724p

contract executed between the State and Company implementing the terms of <u>Idaho</u> <u>Code</u> \$\$61-539 and 61-540.

- D. The Company's rights listed in paragraph 1(A) and I(B) are also subordinate to those persons who have beneficially used water prior to October 1, 1984, and who have filed an application or claim for said use by June 30, 1985.
- E. Company's ability to purchase, lease, own, or otherwise acquire water from sources upstream of its power plants and convey it to and past its power plants below Milner Dam shall not be limited by this agreement. Such flows shall be considered fluctuations resulting from operation of Company facilities.
- 2. The above-captioned case is hereby dismissed without prejudice as to all remaining defendants other than the State Defendants.
- 3. The above-captioned case is hereby dismissed with prejudice as against the State defendants as to all claims of plaintiff not resolved by the decisions of the Idaho Supremount reported as Idaho Power Company v. State of Idaho, 10 Idaho 570, 661 P.2d 736 and 104 Idaho 575, 661 P.2d 741 (1983 or by the entry of this Judgment.
- 4. The Swan Falls Agreement, dated October 25, 1984 shall not be merged into nor integrated with this Judgment, but shall remain in full force and effect independent of this Judgment.
 - 5. Each and all parties shall bear their own costs.

 DATED this day of Mach, 1970

DISTRICT JUDGE